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# BULBALOG AND PANSY SEED

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ALL BULBS, ROOTS AND PLANTS F. O. B. CANBY

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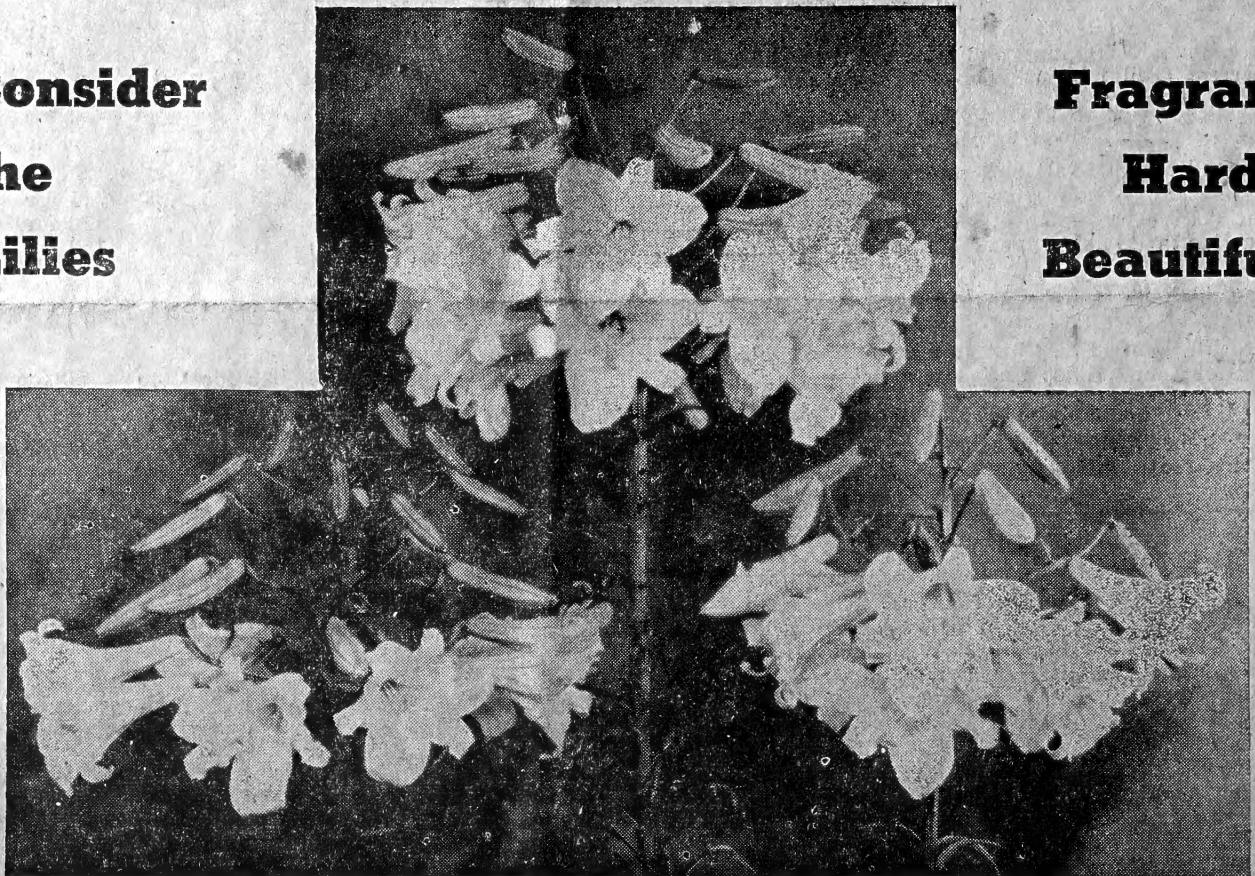
	GLADIOLUS BULBS			BULBLETS		
	Large 1 1/4-Up	Medium 3/4-Up	Small 3/4-Less			
Ababa (Ellis) tall bronze red, many open, keeps well .....	5 for \$ .45	6 for \$ .30	10 for \$ .35	100 for \$ .40		
Abe (Ellis) tall apricot salmon, fine cutflower .....	5 for .60	5 for .40	10 for .45	100 for .50		
Abilon (Ellis) new strawberry pink, deep cream throat ....	2 for .65	3 for .60	4 for .70	100 for 1.00		
Algonquin (Pal) early, brilliant glowing scarlet .....	2 for .85	2 for .65	2 for .40	10 for .45		
Alzarina (Ellis) buff pink, fluted, pointed, cutflower .....	2 for .75	2 for .60	2 for .40	25 for .40		
Amberglow (Pal) tall, amber yellow, excellent .....	2 for .70	2 for .50	2 for .30	10 for .30		
Antonita (Ellis) salmon pink with deep cream throat .....	2 for .65	2 for .45	3 for .40	25 for .50		
Apricot Queen (Ellis) tall, deep apricot, new .....	2 for 1.75	2 for 1.00	2 for .65	10 for .75		
Beacon (Pal) striking rose scarlet with cream blotch .....	2 for .35	3 for .25	5 for .30	100 for .60		
Blueblood (Ellis) deep blue with blood-red blotch .....	2 for .70	2 for .40	4 for .50	50 for .60		
Bonneville (Ellis) deep salmon pink cutflower, keeps well ..	6 for .55	8 for .50	12 for .40	100 for .35		
Capeheart (Win) fine light salmon rose .....	2 for .80	2 for .55	3 for .45	10 for .25		
Chief Multnomah (Ellis) extra large tall smoky red .....	2 for .50	2 for .30	3 for .35	10 for .25		
Conquest (Mit) light pink, cream throat .....	2 for .95	2 for .70	2 for .50	5 for .20		
Coral Glow (Ellis) glowing orange red, extra fine .....	10 for 1.65	10 for 1.20	10 for .85	50 for .55		
Crinklecream (Ellis) crinkled, ruffled, creamy yellow .....	1 for 2.50	1 for 1.50	1 for .75	10 for 2.00		
Diane (Kreuger) salmon orange, tall straight .....	2 for 1.90	2 for 1.55	2 for 1.20	5 for .25		
Elizabeth The Queen (Wh) beautifully ruffled lavender ....	1 for 1.50	1 for 1.00	1 for .75	2 for .25		
Eric The Red (Ellis) very large gorgeous red .....	5 for .45	6 for .40	8 for .35	50 for .30		
Firebrand (Ellis) Sparkling red, blood-red throat, new .....	1 for 1.00	2 for 1.50	2 for 1.00	10 for .50		
Frilled Fragrance (Ellis) sweet scented white New Era ..	1 for 20.00	1 for 15.00	1 for 10.00	2 for 3.00		
Goal (Ellis) tall orange salmon .....	1 for 1.50	2 for 2.00	2 for 1.50	2 for .25		
Golden Chimes (Ellis) beautiful large ruffled yellow .....	2 for .40	3 for .35	4 for .30	10 for .25		
Golden Fleece (Ellis) very clear yellow, fine cutflower ....	5 for .55	6 for .45	8 for .40	50 for .30		
Goldenheart (Fis) vigorous golden yellow and salmon .....	2 for .70	2 for .40	2 for .30	5 for .25		
Hilga Eileene (Ellis) light salmon orchid flowered, new ....	1 for .75	2 for 1.00	2 for .70	5 for .45		
Ivory Keys (Ellis) extra good frilled white cutflower .....	5 for 1.25	5 for .75	10 for .85	50 for .60		
James Fitz James (Ellis) very large brilliant red .....	2 for .45	2 for .30	3 for .25	50 for .60		
Jasmine (Pal) lemon yellow, beautifully ruffled .....	2 for 1.25	2 for .75	2 for .50	5 for .25		
Linda Vista (Ellis) beautiful pink with cream throat .....	2 for 1.20	2 for .85	2 for .55	10 for .50		
Margaret Beaton (Twomey) fine white, red throat .....	2 for .55	3 for .45	5 for .40	25 for .25		
Marlyn (Ellis) very tall vigorous exhibition pink .....	2 for .95	3 for .45	6 for .50	10 for .40		
Master Myron (K-H) immense red, excellent .....	2 for 1.50	2 for 1.20	2 for 1.00	2 for .20		
Maunga (Burns) very large white .....	1 for .45	2 for .60	2 for .40	5 for .20		
Minuet (C) best cutflower lavender .....	5 for .40	5 for .30	10 for .35	100 for .30		
Nelda (Ellis) best smoky, ruffled lilac purple, keeps .....	2 for 1.50	2 for 1.10	2 for .75	5 for .30		
Neskowin (Ellis) new, safrano pink, deeper blotch .....	1 for 1.25	1 for 1.00	1 for .75	5 for .45		
Nestucca (Ellis) new, deep salmon pink, cream throat .....	1 for .90	2 for 1.20	2 for .80	10 for .50		
New Era (Ellis-Majeski) frilled La France pink .....	5 for .45	5 for .30	5 for .20	100 for .35		
Ocarina (Ellis) new deep apricot buff .....	1 for 1.00	2 for 1.50	2 for 1.00	5 for .30		
Peggy Lou (W-E) deep shrimp rosy pink .....	2 for .35	2 for .20	4 for .25	30 for .25		
Picardy (mixed with some Chief Multnomah) .....	5 for .35	5 for .20	10 for .25	25 for .20		
Recado (Pal) fine large smoky .....	2 for .90	2 for .60	2 for .45	10 for .25		
Red Chief (Ellis) Brilliant glowing red .....	1 for .75	2 for .85	2 for .55	10 for .30		
Red Giant (Phillips) tall red giant .....	1 for .45	2 for .70	2 for .50	5 for .20		
Red Lucifer (Ellis) fine cutflower red, stands heat .....	1 for 2.00	2 for 2.50	2 for 1.75	5 for .60		
Red Mohawk (Ellis) very brilliant deep red, new .....	1 for 3.00	2 for 3.50	2 for 2.50	5 for 1.00		
Red Rose (Ellis) large ruffled rosy red, excellent, new ....	1 for 3.50	2 for 3.75	2 for 2.50	2 for .60		
Red Roy (Ellis) fine tall red cutflower, stands heat .....	5 for .35	5 for .25	7 for .30	25 for .25		
Red Tiger (Ellis) scarlet red, creamy throat stripe, new ....	1 for 2.50	2 for 3.50	2 for 2.25	3 for .65		
Red Tongue (Ellis) light purple, velvety red tongue, new ....	1 for 2.00	2 for 3.00	2 for 2.25	3 for .25		
Regent (Pal) glowing scarlet .....	2 for .65	2 for .40	3 for .40	10 for .25		



# REGAL LILIES

**Consider  
the  
Lilies**

**Fragrant  
Hardy  
Beautiful**



Regal Lilies are the most popular of all the lilies. They are very hardy, large, white, very fragrant, tall, and do well almost anywhere. The demand is growing much greater with each passing year.

The culture of Regal Lilies is very simple. They can be planted in any good garden soil which is slightly acid. If the soil is alkaline, the leaves may turn yellow. They will do best with good cultivation and some irrigation if available. Avoid fresh fertilizers. Well rotted cow manure is good. Give good drainage.

Plant the small bulbs about three to four inches deep, the medium size about six inches and the larger ones about eight inches deep, placing them about six

inches apart in the trenches, and the trenches sufficiently far apart for good cultivation.

As an excellent blooming size we especially recommend size 5-6, as this size should all bloom and make a goodly number of florets to the stem. Size 4-5 should also all bloom, but will not have so many florets. The larger the bulb, the more florets, as a general rule. Regal Lily bulbs are measured by circumference. Size 4-5 means 4 to 5 inches around the bulb.

Priced f. o. b. Canby, subject to prior sale, and for cash. Do not send bulb orders of less than \$5.00 total.

Regals are very scarce and in big demand this season and our stock is running very low.

REGAL LILY BULBS .....	4-5 ins.	5-6 ins.	6-7 ins.	7-8 ins.	8-9 ins.	9-10 ins.	10-11 ins.
Per 10 .....	\$ .90	\$1.15	\$ 1.55	\$ 2.10	\$ 2.80	\$ 3.50	\$ 4.20
Per 100 .....	6.00	8.50	12.00	16.00	21.00	27.00	

## Gladiolus Cutflower Assortment

10 Bulbs each of 10 of the very best cutflower varieties. (Total 100 Glad bulbs separately labeled.)

These are the varieties we have grown in large quantity for our own cutflower business. Composed of such fine varieties as Coral Glow, Ivory Keys, Wings of Song, Minuet, New Era, Golden Fleece, Vista Bonita, Marlyn, Shirley Temple, White Eagle. This in an assortment of exceptional value and we are sure you will be pleased with it.

If we run short of any of these we will include others of similar or better value.

100 large bulbs (10 varieties) .....	\$5.00	100 medium bulbs (10 varieties) .....	\$3.75
100 small bulbs (10 varieties) .....	\$2.50		



# OREGON GIANT PANSY SEED

Originated and grown by Mrs. Merton G. Ellis



Grow Pansies for Profit and  
Pleasure, but be sure to use

## Oregon Giant Pansy Seed

if you want  
**BETTER PANSIES**  
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Cultural and Marketing Suggestions,  
FREE. To be sure of true stock, order  
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### Finest Florists' Mixture

1 Packet—500 seeds .....	\$1.00
Special—3 Pkts—500 seeds each ....	2.00
Trial Packet—200 seeds .....	.50
1 oz. ....	12.00
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## Matilija (Romneya Couteri)

A wonderful perennial producing large white flowers  
with orange center all through the summer. The  
fragrance is delightful. The flowers are delicately  
fluted and frilled and are nearly six inches across;  
they are borne on strong stems from 4 to 8 feet tall.  
A fine cutflower or for landscape use. Plant in fall  
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Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.50

For Summer and Early Fall Delivery:

**MUSCARI—Grape Hyacinths**, blue mixture.

Large bulbs, 10 for 85c; 100 for \$5.00

Medium bulbs, 10 for 60c; 100 for \$3.50

Small bulbs, 10 for 40c; 100 for \$2.50

**HEMEROCALLIS — Daylilies**, vigorous, profuse  
bloomers.

10 plants, each different, separately labeled, for \$4.50

## Columbine or Aquilegia

This is a very choice strain, the seed plants being  
selected from the famous Mrs. Scott Elliott hybrids and  
other choice strains.

The graceful, long-spurred Columbine is one of the  
most satisfactory of the perennials. It blooms at a  
time when flowers are scarce, helping out greatly on  
Decoration Day, Mothers' and Fathers' Day, Com-  
mencements, weddings, etc. It gives a particularly  
beautiful lacey effect in baskets, combined with Pansies  
or other flowers, using the Columbine as a back ground  
and adding height to the general effect. Columbine  
works up nicely in funeral designs and is also beautiful  
in the garden. It blooms for a long period;—is still  
blooming when the Glads begin.

Seedlings transplanted in the fall will bloom the next  
season and will become larger and better for several  
years. The seed may be planted in the spring, summer  
or fall.

Packet, 200 seeds, 50c.

## Delphinium Seed

THE PACIFIC STRAIN ..... Per packet \$1.00



GLADIOLUS BULBS		Large 1½-Up	Medium ¾-Up	Small ¾-Less	BULBLETS	
Rima (Mit) fine light lavender .....	1 for	.45	2 for .55		2 for	.20
Royal Pink (Ellis) large early clear bright deep pink .....	5 for	.40	5 for .30	5 for .20	100 for	.35
Sensation (Mar) very large tall ruffled salmon rose .....	1 for	.65	2 for .75	2 for .45	2 for	.25
Shirley Temple (Pruitt) extra fine tall ruffled cream .....	5 for	.45	5 for .30	5 for .20	100 for	.35
Snowbound (Ellis) pure white, beautiful heavy texture .....	1 for	15.00	1 for 10.00	1 for 5.00	2 for	3.50
Snowcrest (Ellis) beautiful crested white, ruffled .....	1 for	25.00	1 for 20.00	1 for 15.00	2 for	4.50
Takina (Burns) tall giant purple .....	2 for	.35	3 for .40	4 for .45	10 for	.25
The Dove (Ellis) violet gray with spinel red mottlings .....	1 for	.55	2 for .80	3 for .90	5 for	.25
Vagabond Prince (Pal) rich smoky brown, flame blotch ....	1 for	.35	2 for .40	3 for .45	5 for	.20
Valeria (Pruitt) extra fine soft red cutflower .....	2 for	.45	3 for .40	5 for .35	15 for	.20
Valor (B) deep salmon, creamy throat, cutflower .....	1 for	.40	2 for .45	3 for .50	10 for	.25
Vista Bonita (Ellis) immense geranium pink .....	5 for	.55	10 for .70	10 for .40	100 for	.60
Weona (Ellis) deep salmon pink, cream blotch .....	1 for	.50	2 for .45	2 for .25	10 for	.40
Whero (Burns) brilliant scarlet red .....	1 for	.50	2 for .45	2 for .25	10 for	.40
White Eagle (Ellis) tall slender lacey white .....	2 for	.55	2 for .35	3 for .30	50 for	.75
White Elephant (Ellis) immense exhibition white .....	1 for	5.00	1 for 4.00	1 for 3.00	2 for	1.00
Wings of Song (Ellis) fine prize-winning pink .....	5 for	.80	5 for .60	5 for .40	50 for	.50
Yellow Peril (Ellis) deepest yellow on large spike .....	5 for	.85	10 for 1.20	10 for .75	50 for	.50
Mixture, many kinds and colors .....	10 for	.65	10 for .35	25 for .40	100 for	.30
Mixture, from Ellis Originations .....	10 for	.90	10 for .55	25 for .60	100 for	.50

GLADIOLUS	BULBS PER 100					BULBLETS		
	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	1000	Quart
Beacon .....	\$ 7.50	\$ 6.50	\$ 5.50	\$ 4.50	\$ 3.75	\$ 3.25	\$ 3.50	\$11.00
Coral Glow .....	14.00	12.50	11.00	9.50	7.50	5.50	9.00	24.00
Crinklecream .....	100.00	90.00	80.00	70.00	60.00	50.00	75.00	
Golden Fleece ....	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.75	7.50
Ivory Keys .....	20.00	17.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	6.00	10.00	30.00
James Fitz James .....	17.00	15.00	13.00	10.50	7.50	5.50	9.50	28.00
Marlyn .....	16.50	14.00	12.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	9.00	27.50
Minuet .....	5.50	4.75	3.85	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.00	6.00
New Era .....	6.50	5.50	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.50	3.00	8.00
Royal Pink .....	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.75	7.50
Shirley Temple ...	5.50	4.75	3.85	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	7.00
Vista Bonita .....	9.50	8.00	6.50	5.00	3.00	2.25	5.50	16.00
White Eagle .....	20.00	17.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	11.00	30.00
Wings of Song ....	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	8.00	24.00
Yellow Peril .....	15.00	12.50	10.50	8.50	6.50	4.50	9.00	27.00
Mixture .....	3.60	3.00	2.40	2.00	1.40	1.00	1.00	2.50
Mixture (Ellis) ..	5.00	4.25	3.75	2.75	2.00	1.50	1.50	4.00

### Safe Delivery Guaranteed by Express

All bulbs, plants and roots, in this Bulbalog are priced f. o. b. Canby, for cash and subject to prior sale. Please do not send such orders for less than a total of \$5.00.

Please designate second choice and whether you wish money returned in case of shortage! Otherwise we may substitute with similar or better varieties.

### ELLIS ORIGINATIONS—GRAND CHAMPIONS

Many of our Ellis Originations have been Grand Champions in various of the big shows, some of them several times. They have also won many ribbons as Division Champions, Color Champions, and have won Blue Ribbons galore.

Hence it is with real regret that owing to war conditions we have this past season cut down our Glads to a very small planting. With scarcity of labor and the growing of a much larger acreage of war foods, this seemed advisable. So we have but a small quantity of Glad bulbs to offer this season in comparison to what we used to grow. We shall probably not get out a pricelist of Glads next season although the prices then will be much higher and the demand much greater even than now. We hope to continue growing Regal Lily bulbs in quantity. We can grow them with much less help.

We have found the origination of new Glads so interesting that naturally we shall plan on at least a small planting of a number of the best of our originations, and we are hoping to bring out some improved lilies also, especially an improved strain of Regals on which we are now working.

We have grown Glads for over 20 years and we wish at this time to thank our many hundreds of customers for the fine orders they have sent us, for the many fine letters of commendation they have written us, and for the patience they have shown when often we could not find time to answer letters

### New Whites of Great Beauty—Ellis Originations

Snowcrest      Frilled Fragrance      Snowbound

Snowcrest is the most beautiful white, a creamy throat crested with white, petals frilled and pointed. Snowbound is pure white with a wonderful texture of great beauty. Frilled Fragrance is a delicately sweet scented white New Era, frilled and fluted.

Set No. 1: 1 small bulb and 2 blts. of each ..... \$25.00

Set No. 2: 1 medium size bulb of each ..... \$30.00

### Other New Ellis Originations You Should Have

Crinklecream      Nelda      Red Lucifer  
Red Mohawk      Red Rose      Red Tiger

At one of the big shows, Mr. Gove saw a fine spike of Crinklecream and pronounced it the best yellow he had seen. Whether it should be classed as a cream or a yellow seems to depend on the soil and climate where it is grown. It is very beautifully frilled and ruffled. A companion for it, but in the smoky class, is Nelda, the most beautiful ruffled smoky. In the same ruffled class is Red Rose. The other three reds are all quite different. They are all worthy of a place in every garden.

Set No. 3: 2 small bulbs and 2 blts. of each ..... \$3.50

Set No. 4: 2 medium bulbs of each ..... \$11.50